

Deep Creek
Annual Water User's Meeting
March 7, 1978

Don Norseth opened the meeting and reported that snow depths were near normal. Don also thanked the people for their cooperation during the drouth of 1977.

The ~~group~~^{group} retained Don Norseth as Chairman.

Don read the minutes of last years meeting. The minutes stood as read.

Don read the financial statement. Lance Luck had a question on the assessment. Don explained that the assessment is based on acre foot delivery and that everyone is treated equal.

It was moved by Art McKee and seconded by Charman Justice that the financial statement be approved as read. Motion carried.

Charman gave her water commissioners report. There was some discussion on bringing the upper Deep Creek users into the system. Don will investigate to see if they can be brought into the system. Charman stated that there is a problem with the grates in the canal plugging up and that they may have to be altered. She also mentioned that the road in Mill Canyon needs fixing. It was moved by Robert Justice and seconded by Art McKee that the commissioners report be approved as read. Motion carried.

After some discussion it was moved by Art McKee and seconded by Ferral Simmons that the 1978 Budget and Assessment be set at \$3000.00. Motion carried.

The floor was then opened for nominations for water commissioner. It was moved by Art McKee and seconded by Marvin Huber that Charman be recommended for water commissioner. Arben Wilkerson moved that Dick Perry be recommended for water commis ioner. There was no second so the motion died. The group then Voted to recommend Charman for water commissioner.

The floor was opened for nominations for the water users committee. The following were nominated: Marvin Huber, Lanny Cook, Aaren Simmons, Raymond Murray and Art McKee. The group voted for three (3) by secret ballot. Those elected were Raymond Murray, Marvin Huber and Aaren Simmons. Marvin Huber was chosen as chairman.

The floor was then opened for general discussion. Arben Wilkerson stated that the weir in Mill Canyon was off and he wondered how Charman read it. Charman explained that she takes a reading on both sides and uses the average. Arben Wilkerson had a question on the 220 shares of Mosby stock that were used for exchange. Charman explained that the 220 shares were equivalent to the flow of Deep Creek and were only used when Deep Creek was on turns. There was a question on the 10% channel loss charged to Mosby. Don Norseth explained that the 10% was arbitrary and was not unreasonable. Charman was asked when she started charging for water delivered. She answered, that time was charged when the stockholders gate was opened. There was some discussion on travel time between the Murray diversion and the Parrish bridge. Don requested Charman to keep records of the travel time.

Meeting adjourned.

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Those present were:

Don Norseth	Division of Water Rights
Bob Guy	Division of Water Rights
John Bene	Division of Water Rights
Ted Baldwin	Division of Water Rights
Arthur McKee	Water User
Wayne Justice	Water User
Robert Justice	Water User
Charman Justice	Commissioner
Orlando Cook	Water User
Martin Huber	Water User
Marvin Huber	Water User
A.C. Wilkerson	Water User
Lance Luck	Water User
Raymond Murray	Water User